

# FOLIO

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## Five to be honored at Spring Convocation

Five persons will receive the degree of Doctor of Laws, *honoris causa*, at the four-day Spring Convocation on May 27, 28, 29, and 30.

On May 27, EDGAR ALLARDYCE WOOD, of Red Deer, better known as KERRY WOOD, will receive an honorary degree. Mr. Wood is well known in Alberta as a writer, historian and naturalist.

In 1960, he received a Senior Fellowship from the Canada Council to enable him to write a history of the Red Deer Valley. In 1965, the Historical Society of Alberta presented him with its annual award, given to the person making the most outstanding contribution to Alberta history. He has twice received the Governor General's Award for juvenile fiction.

ELIZABETH HOMER MORTON, former Executive Director of the Canadian Library Association, will be honored on May 28. Miss Morton, who received her education at Dalhousie University and the University of Chicago, was instrumental in founding the Canadian Library Council in 1943. The Canadian Library Association was organized in 1946, and Miss Morton has served as its Executive Secretary since its founding.

Miss Morton has acted as editor of the Canadian Library Association Bulletin, and has lectured at McGill University, the University of Toronto, and the University of Ottawa. She has worked on projects of UNESCO, the International Federation of Library Associations, and the International Board on Books for Young People.

Degrees will be conferred on two persons

on May 29: LOUIS-PHILIPPE BONNEAU, Vice-Rector of Laval University, and GEORGE ROGER PRINGLE GRAHAM, Vice-President of the Mountain Region of the Canadian National Railway.

M. Bonneau, a graduate of Laval University, has taught at the University, and served as a member of the Defence Research Board, the National Research Council of Canada, the Committee of Science and Medicine for the Canadian World Exhibition, and the Board of Governors of the Institute of Canadian Bankers. His work with the National Research Council has brought French Canadian scientists close to the work of the other scientists in Canada.

G. R. P. Graham entered the service of the CNR as a bridgeman in 1922, and has held a succession of supervisory and managerial positions with the railway since then. In 1966, he became Vice-President of the Mountain Division. He is regarded as an initiator of the surge of industrial development in the Edmonton area since 1952 and the development of such projects as the Redwater and Wabamun areas, the Great Slave Lake Railway, and the Alberta Resources Railway.

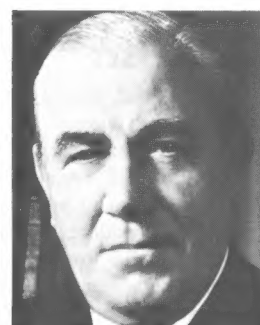
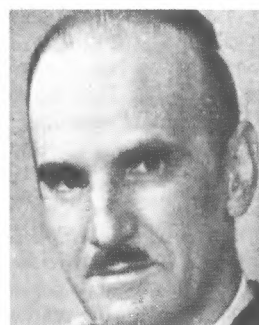
Professor SIR JOHN BRUCE, Regius Professor of Clinical Surgery at the University of Edinburgh, will be honored on May 30. Sir John, who was educated at the University of Edinburgh, holds the appointment of Surgeon to Her Majesty the Queen in Scotland. He is a member of the Council of the International Federation of Surgical Colleges. In 1961, he served as Naffziger Visiting

Professor at the University of California in San Francisco. A Fellow of the Royal College of Surgeons, he is an Honorary Fellow of the American College of Surgeons, the Royal College of Surgeons of England, the College of Physicians, Surgeons, and Gynaecologists of South Africa, the Royal College of University Surgeons of Denmark, and an Honorary Academician of the Academy of Medicine of Malaya. Sir John is the author and co-author of several surgical textbooks and manuals.

Spring Convocation has been extended to four days to accommodate the approximately 2,580 students receiving degrees. It will be held on May 27, 28, 29, and 30, with about 1,800 students expected to attend; the remainder of the degrees will be granted *in absentia*.

On May 27, degrees will be granted in Arts, Agriculture, and Business Administration and Commerce. On May 28, graduates in Education, Library Science, and Physical Education and Recreation Administration will receive degrees. On May 29, degrees in Engineering, Household Economics, and Science will be conferred. On May 30, graduates in Dental Hygiene, Dentistry, Medicine, Graduate Studies, Medical Laboratory Science, Nursing, Pharmacy, Rehabilitation Medicine, and Law will receive degrees.

*Honorary graduates:*  
Edgar Allardyce (Kerry) Wood  
Elizabeth Homer Morton  
Louis-Phillippe Bonneau  
George Roger Pringle Graham  
Sir John Bruce





*It may look like an impressionist painting, but she is really Kim Welshons, competitor in the Canadian Amateur Synchronized Swimming Championships, held on the campus during the weekend of May 11-12.*

space. It is intended to alleviate the crowded food services conditions in the northeast section of the campus.

## DRAMA DEPARTMENT TO AUDITION

The Department of Drama will inaugurate an audition/interview procedure for prospective first year drama students. F. F. BUECKERT, Acting Chairman of the Department, stated that "since enrolment is necessarily limited and because the studies in this interpretative-creative field involve highly specialized training, candidates will be required to satisfy the selection committee that they have the necessary ability and degree of commitment to undertake the program." The Department offers four-year Bachelor of Fine Arts degrees in the areas of Acting, Directing, Design, and Playwriting.

Auditions will be held in major centres in Canada and the United States this spring and summer.

## FOOD SCIENCE SCHOLARSHIPS AVAILABLE AT ALBERTA

The Food Science program at The University of Alberta has been selected as one of five approved as recipients of Canadian Food Industry Scholarships. The other universities are Laval University, the University of Guelph, the University of Manitoba, and the University of British Columbia. LARRY HENDERSON, Administrative Director of the Department of Food Science, says, "Alberta is one of the most advanced schools in Canada."

The Canadian Institute of Food Technology and the federal Department of Industry, Trade and Commerce are jointly sponsoring 13 scholarships of \$1,000 each for Canadian resident students entering the second, third, or fourth years of an approved food science program. The scholarships are designed "to encourage more students to study and enter careers in food science and technology."

## GEOLOGY CONDUCTS SURVEY

The Department of Geology recently completed a survey to ascertain the contributions of its graduates towards the development and economy of Western Canada. This study revealed that graduates from the Department have in recent years either discovered or played a major role in the discovery of the locations of seven major metalliferous ore and industrial mineral deposits, and 16 major producers of petroleum

## CAR PARK TENDER AWARDED

Laing Construction and Equipment Limited of Edmonton has been awarded a contract for construction of the first car park on the campus. The Edmonton firm tendered a bid of \$1,079,086 for construction of Car Park No. 1, to be built on a site west of the Students' Union Building.

WALTER H. WORTH, Vice-President for Campus Planning and Development, said that the tender bid includes funds for construction of an enclosed walkway to connect the car park with the Students' Union Building.

Ten other companies bid on the project, and Camwell Construction submitted the second lowest bid, \$1,087,358.

Dr. Worth said that this car park and a later similar development will not be financed out of government funds. "These structures are to be self-supporting and construction and operating costs will be recovered through parking charges."

## ADVISORY COMMITTEE FORMAT SET

At a special meeting on May 7, the Board of Governors agreed to constitute an Advisory Committee for the Selection of a Vice-President (Academic) to succeed MAX WYMAN, who will succeed WALTER H. JOHNS as President at the University. It was agreed that the President, or his designate, should be chairman of the Committee; that the chairman of the Board, JOHN E.

BRADLEY, and MRS. D. McCULLOCH, with L. A. DESROCHERS as the alternate, be the two members from the Board of Governors; that the General Faculty Council be invited to nominate two members of the faculty, with two alternates; that the Association of the Academic Staff of The University of Alberta be invited to nominate one member of the Association, with an alternate; that the Students' Council of the University be invited to nominate two students of the University, with two alternates; that the Graduate Students' Association be invited to nominate one member of the Association, with an alternate; that all be nominated as soon as possible. The Secretary of the Board of Governors will be Secretary of the Advisory Committee.

## PRIME CONSULTANT NAMED

D. L. SINCLAIR, of the firm Sinclair, Skakun and Naito, has been named Prime Consultant for the food facility to be built on the campus.

Food Facility No. 1 will be the first project of its kind to be built in the University's North Garneau expansion program. Plans call for the new structure to be located near Saskatchewan Drive and 112 Street. The target cost for the building is \$1,000,000, exclusive of furniture and equipment.

The project is expected to be completed by July, 1971, and will add about 22,800 net square feet to the present food services

and natural gas.

The total value of these discoveries is \$818,460 million.

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| Lead-Zinc Ores     | \$ 3,520 million  |
| Silver-Copper Ores | \$ 10 million     |
| Gold Ores          | \$ 100 million    |
| Petroleum-Gas      | \$ 14,830 million |
| Potash             | \$800,000 million |
| Total              | \$818,460 million |

## LITERARY AWARDS PRESENTED

Six Canadian writers received Governor General's Literary Awards for 1968 at an Awards ceremony in Ottawa on May 13. The award consists of \$2,500 from the Canada Council and a specially bound copy of the award-winning work from the Governor General, His Excellency, the Right Honourable Roland Michener.

The six writers honored are LEONARD COHEN, for *Selected Poems*; ALICE MUNRO, for *Dance of the Happy Shades*, a collection of short stories; MORDECAI RICHLER, for *Cocksure*, a novel, and *Hunting Tigers Under Glass*, a collection of essays; HUBERT AQUIN, for *Trou de memoire*, a novel; MARIE-CLAIRE AIS, for *Manuscripts de Pauline Archange*, a novel; and FERNAND DUMON, for *Le Lieu de l'homme*, a study.

The award-winning books were chosen by the Governor General's Awards Committee from the nearly 300 literary works published by Canadians in 1968. Members of the committee include ROBERT WEAVER of the CBC and *Tamarack Review*; HENRY KREISEL, novelist and Chairman of the Department of English at The University of Alberta; PHILIP STRATFORD of the University of Montreal; JEAN FILIATRAULT, novelist and television dramatist; GILLES MARCOTTE, Montreal critic and novelist, and JEANNE LAPOINTE of Laval University.

## ERRORS IN LIST OF FELLOWSHIPS

FOLIO May 8 contained a list of faculty members and graduate students who received doctoral and post-doctoral fellowships from the Canada Council. The list contained several errors, which are corrected here.

PIERRE MONOD, Assistant Professor of Romance Languages, and BERNARD L. ROCHET, a graduate student, are both in the Department of Romance Languages, and not, reported in FOLIO, in the Division of Linguistics. URSULA ULRICH, a graduate student in Comparative Literature, and not FREDERICK ULRICH, received a fellowship.

## NOTICES

### TENDERING POLICY

The following statement of University policy is published at the request of E. F. HUNTER, Purchasing Agent, for the information of administrative personnel. It is intended that it will be incorporated in the Manual of Purchasing and Procurement Procedures which is now undergoing revision.

"It is University policy to call for tenders on major purchases of supplies and equipment to be made from University funds.

The term "University funds" means all funds administered by the University, including general revenues for capital or operating account, special funds received for the research work of members of the academic staff, and contributions held in trust for special purposes.

You are asked to take note, when submitting requisitions, that sufficient time must be allowed for tendering procedures: for the time required to draft specifications; for the mailing of invitations to tender; and for the time required by bidders to make reply. (In this connection, you are referred to Section 29 of the Manual of Purchasing Procedures, which describes the function of the President's Standing Committee on Purchases of Major Equipment.)

The type of specification preferred when major equipment is being purchased is the performance specification. Prospective bidders are told in this specification what the equipment is expected to do. They are invited to offer equipment which will meet the standards of performance set by the University and are asked to guarantee that it will perform in this manner.

The University reserves to itself the right to select from among the offers submitted the one best suited to its needs. Quality, price, delivery, the reputation of the manufacturer, compatibility of the equipment with equipment previously purchased are considerations, any one of which may determine the selection of an offer, if so stipulated in the conditions of tender. The lowest or any tender need not necessarily be accepted.

This type of invitation to tender is to be compared with an invitation to tender which names equipment manufactured by a particular manufacturer and invites bidders to quote on the equipment or its equal. The bidder may not have equipment which is the equal of that specified, but he may have equipment which will do the work required of it, and at a lower price. If he is not told what it is to do, he will be unable to tender.

It is the belief of the University that a performance specification will yield better prices and will produce the equipment best suited to the purpose for which it is needed.

When it is the wish of the requisitioner that the product of a particular manufacturer be purchased to the exclusion of all others, the requisitioner will be expected to provide in writing the reason for his choice.

The University has on staff many highly qualified specialists who are able to give advice on equipment in their fields. The University enlists the aid of these people in writing specifications and selecting equipment.

The following departments are called upon for advice in connection with the types of equipment with which they are familiar:

Technical Services for:

photographic equipment  
wood and metal working equipment  
welding equipment  
electronic equipment  
drafting and graphics equipment  
audio-visual equipment, including all types of projectors, tape recorders, etc.

Radio and Television for equipment related to radio or television

Printing Services for equipment related to copying and duplicating

Computing Science for computing equipment

All requisitions received at the Purchasing Department for equipment described are referred to these departments for advice and assistance.

When necessary, the University will employ consultants to draft specifications and assist in the purchase.

In no case will equipment be bought without the full concurrence of the requisitioner as to price and quality."

### ADMINISTRATIVE DATA PROCESSING

Effective May 1, Administrative Data Processing has been established as an office separate from Institutional Research, and reporting to the Vice-President for Finance and Administration.

Until a Director is appointed, Administrative Data Processing will operate on a divisional basis, as outlined below:

- (a) *Computer Systems Division*—New systems design, analysis, and programming services  
John A. Ogle, Manager  
Room 109, Administration Building  
Local 4572.
- (b) *Operations Division*—Key punch, unit record, and computer operations  
E. G. Madore, Manager  
Room 17, Administration Building  
Local 3217.

The administrative program of both divisions, including personnel, payroll, and

procurement functions, will be handled by Mrs. JOAN LAZIN, acting as Administrative Assistant to the Office. Mrs. Lazin's office will also be located in Room 109, Administration Building, Local 4734.

#### CAMPUS PUBLICATIONS

The University Publications Office is preparing a list of publications that are sponsored by departments within the University. Both staff and student publications are included. *Pluck*, *The Albertan Geographer*, and *Agriculture Bulletin* are a few examples. Anyone who is involved with such a publication and has not yet been approached by the Publications Office is asked to send a copy to 123 Administration Building. Notes should be included giving the editor's name and position at the University; the sponsors or publishers of the publication; the frequency and size of the publication; its scope and purpose; who writes for it; who receives it; and other pertinent, unusual, or interesting facts.

#### NON-CREDIT COMPUTER COURSES

Depending on registration, the Computing Center hopes to offer the following courses for staff and students. Registrations, to be complete by May 19, will be taken by Miss J. WOLGEMUTH, General Services 654F, local 4698.

Job Control Language (June 2-6, 1:30 to 4 p.m.) Instructor, J. G. POOLE from IBM.

FORTRAN IV (May 26 to June 6, 9 to 10:15 a.m., with labs from 10:45 to 12 noon.) Instructor, V. YANDA, Manager of Information Services for the Computing Center.

ALGOL 60 (Mondays and Wednesdays for six weeks, commencing June 16, from 4 to 5 p.m.) Instructor, D. M. RUSSELL, Killam Professor of Physics.

CALCOMP Workshops (mid-June). P. BUTTULS of the Computing Center will conduct, at beginner and advanced levels.

Basic Assembler Course (six weeks during the summer). This course is intended to introduce people who have no knowledge of

any assembly language to the basics of how the 360/67 works.

APL Videotape Course (sometime in June).

#### COMING EVENTS

##### OBSTETRICS WORKSHOP

Mrs. MARGARET F. MYLES, a world authority in the field of midwifery, will conduct a workshop for graduates of the Advanced Practical Obstetrics program in the School of Nursing on May 20 and 21. Mrs. Myles is a former Principal Midwife Tutor at the Simpson Memorial Maternity Pavilion in Edinburgh, and author of "A Textbook for Midwives." She will discuss the Modern Aspects of Obstetrical Practice, a Critical Survey of Methods of Pain Relief in Labor, and Organized Clinical Teaching in the Obstetrical Field.

##### CLARK MEMORIAL LECTURE

GUNNAR MYRDAL, Professor of International Economy at the University of Stockholm, and an internationally acclaimed economist, will give the W. Clifford Clark Memorial Lecture on May 21 at 8 p.m. in Lecture Room TL 12 of the Tory Building.

Dr. Myrdal, who is known as a leading authority in economics and the social sciences, will discuss the role of public servants in international organizations. The lecture is sponsored by the Canadian Institute of Public Administration.

Dr. Myrdal was born in Stockholm in 1898. He has taught at the University of Stockholm since 1927. He served as Sweden's Minister of Trade and Commerce from 1945 to 1947 and as a member of the Swedish First Chamber, the upper house. He has acted as adviser to many governments, and from 1947 to 1957 was Executive Secretary of the United Nations Economic Commission for Europe.

The author of seven major works, including *The Negro Problem and American Democracy*, Dr. Myrdal holds honorary degrees from some two dozen universities in Europe, the United States, and Canada.

#### PERSONAL NOTICES

*Staff members may forward notices to reach the Editor by 9 a.m. the Friday prior to publication. They must be typed, and not exceed 35 words including heading. Advertisements received will be published at the Editor's discretion.*

FOR SALE—Lake-front cottage at Seba Beach. Two bedrooms. Hot and cold running water. Propane heat. Extra cabin on property. If rented, available for June, July, or August. Faryon, local 4251, or 488-7412.

FOR SALE—Custom Ekert-built split level house in Lansdowne. 2,100 square feet. Triple plumbing. Three bedrooms. Den. Brick wall fireplace in family room. Front drive. Double garage. Professionally landscaped. Available in August. 434-0438.

FOR SALE—Three-bedroom bungalow. 1½ baths. Partially finished basement. Fenced and landscaped. Double garage. Possession August 1. \$146 per month, with \$13,000 cash to 6¼% CMHC mortgage. 11116 - 36A Avenue. 434-0569.

FOR SALE—Three-bedroom house in Belgravia. Completely finished basement with rumpus and play-room, study, and bathroom. Attached garage. Possession August 1. \$39,000. 439-4610.

FOR RENT OR SALE—Four-bedroom bungalow. Trees and lawns, ideal for children. Ravine location. 12 minutes from the University. Immediate occupancy. 14212 - 92A Avenue. Local 5205, or 432-8029, evenings.

FOR RENT—Furnished house in London. Centrally located. Three bedrooms. 1½ bathrooms. Central heating. Telephone. £20 per week. Available for 1969-70 year to professors on leave. Contact W. H. Brown, 83 Park View, New Malden, Sur. England.

FOR RENT—Furnished three-bedroom house in Windsor Park. Available May 22 to July 22. Local 4221, or 433-1891.

FOR RENT—Furnished four-bedroom house in McKernan area. Study. Sundeck. Rumpus room. Three baths. Available June 23 to August, 1970. Local 3458, or 439-2850.

FOR RENT—Three-bedroom bungalow on University Avenue. Stove, refrigerator, washer, dryer. \$185 per month. Available from July 1, 1969 to August, 1970. 433-7835.

WANTED TO RENT—Unfurnished three-bedroom house, with garage, preferably near the University. Needed August 1, for one or two years. Contact Samuel Rees, 6189 N.E. Radford Drive, Seattle, Washington 98115.

WANTED TO BUY—Four-bedroom house near the University, preferably available in the early fall. R. Gilsdorf, 433-5460 (before May 15) or 233 West Park Boulevard, Medina, Ohio (after May 15).

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